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In re Application of: Euteneuer et al.

Examiner: Unknown

Serial No.: 10/017,877

Group Art Unit: 3761

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For: HYDRAULIC CONTROLLED RETRACTABLE TIP FILTER RETRIEVAL
CATHETER

CERTIFICATION FOR INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(e)

Assistant Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

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the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 are hereby disclosed.

No representation is intended to be made hereby that any of the cited references
establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of
unpatentability of any claim of the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

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- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☒ Form 1449 with Four (4) references.
- ☒ Certification for Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR §1.97(e).
- ☒ Postcard receipt.
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